Appomattox County Library

By Verna Conner

APPOMATTOX COUNTY LIBRARY NEWS

At a time when nothing America does seems right in the eyes of the rest of the world and even to some Americans, now more than ever we need to listen to someone who is not afraid to stand up and remind us what's right with America and what we as a people can do to make her even better. Such a person is Dale Evans Rogers, who in her new book, Let Freedom Ring, tells us in no uncertain terms why she loves America. She says and I quote, "Call me a flag-waver if you will, I love that flag and all it stands for. Call me a reactionary--yes I am reacting strongly and I'm ready to be stronger. I am calling on those of you who love God and your country to act -- to make this nation one under Him.--It is in God that the strength, beauty and hope of these United States of America lie." Other books in the library by this author are: The Woman at the Well; Angel Unaware; My Spiritual Dairy; To My Son; Salute to Sandy; Dearest Debbie.

There is a new book in the library by Frank Slaughter called "The Stonewall Brigade." Men will like it as it is mostly about the battles won by Stonewall Jackson during the Civil War. He was a firm believer in prayer and always prayed for victory and always thanked the Lord when he won. Had he not been killed the north might have had a much harder time winning the war. Several books on Jackson are in the library--one of which is very good. It is entitled, "They Called Him Stonewall", and is by Burke Davis. Also very interesting is one called "I Rode With Stonewall by Henry Kyd Douglas. This book was given to the library in memory of Mrs. Fairbairn by his niece, Mrs. Samuel M. White of Richmond, Va. The following rhyme on the frontispiece of the book tells how his men loved him: And Men will tell their children when all other memories fade How they fought with Stonewall Jackson in the old Stonewall Brigade.

Another book of interest to men is The American Condition by Richard N. Goodwin. It is a description of American society and Goodwin traces man's quest for freedom from Socrates, Plato, the Romans and the Dark Ages to the Renaissance. He speaks of the grave danger of America destroying her freedom and gives a picture of Modern man as the master of all things except his own destiny.

And while we are speaking of books for men--Have you read Confederate Surgeon - Aristides Monterirro by Sylvia G. L. Dannett and Rosamond H. Burkart. Monterirro was a man far ahead of his times. He was born in Virginia although a son of a member of the Portugese nobility. His romance with Mary Cocke began when he was a student at the Univ. of Va. He served the Confederacy as a doctor under Lee from Antietam until after Gettysburg. He was also a guerilla doctor with Colonel John Mosby's battalion during the last years of the Civil War. This is exciting reading the illustrations of Mosby's Rangers,the retreat of Lee's army from Gettysburg; a hospital scene bringing in the wounded after the battle; Camp life in the Confederate Artillery Fall in for soup; and many other pictures make it all the more interesting.

The Library has the following books relating to Thanksgiving; 1. Big Book of Thanksgiving Entertainment. 2. Book of Three Festivals. 3. The Pilgrim's Party. 4. The First Thanksgiving. 5. Thanksgiving Day. 6.Thanksgiving Feast Festival. 7. Thanksgiving Story.

BAKE SALE ON FRIDAY NOV.21st.

The Ladies Auxilary of the Pentecostal Holiness Church will sponsor a bake sale on Friday, November 21st beginning at 3:30 in front of the Revco Drug, Triangle Plaza. There will be freshly baked cakes, pies, and other homebaked goodies for sale.

FFA PRESENTS CHECK TO RESCUE SQUAD

Lelia Maxwell, right above, Community Services Chairman of the Senior FFA Chapter at Appomattox County High School is shown presenting check for $100.00 to the Appomattox County Rescue Squad. Accepting the check is Mrs. Nina B. Beasley, President of the Appomattox County Rescue Squad.

JOHNNY LAWSON KILLED HIS FIRST BUCK on the first day of deer season when he shot a six-point buck, weighing about 140 pounds, at about 7:30 a.m. while hunting on private property. Johnny has done some hunting for several years - but this was his first deer. He stopped by for a picture and then headed back to the woods to see if his luck held out.

ACHS Observes DECA Week

Beginning in 1947 with only 800 members in 17 charter states, the Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA) has grown to approximately 170,000 members from 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico according to Jack Hutcheson, DECA Chapter Advisor, Appomattox High School.

Although the official name of Distributive Education Clubs of America was adopted at the second National Leadership Conference held in St. Louis, Missoure in 1948, Distributive Education Chapters were being formed a decade earlier, Hutcheson said. Cooperative programs in Distributive Education were created between 1937 and 1942. It was during this period that student clubs were started throughout the country.

From this early beginning, local Chapters sprang up all over the nation. These early clubs adopted many names such as Future Retailers,Future Distributors, Future Merchants, and Distributive Education Clubs.

State-wide meetings were held between 1941 and 1944 as the local Chapters grew and felt the need to communicate with each other. By 1945, state conferences and associations were organized. About this time, the idea of a national organization was born.

In 1946, the U. S. Office of Education called a meeting of state DE supervisors to develop plans for a national organization. The first conference that led to the adoption of a resolution to form a national organization was held in Memphis, Tennessee in 1947.

The 17 charter member states were Arkansas, Georgia, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Missouri, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia and Washington.

"The growth and development of DECA has been rapid, according to Hutcheson. "Many interested educators and business organizations have given their advice, their cooperation and their support. Past growth and plans for the future give every indication that DECA is destined to become one of the leading student organizations of our time," he added.

MRS. DAVIS' 4-H CLUB

First of all Pat Page, president, opened the meeting. He turned the meeting over to Mrs. Walton. She talked to us instead of our regular extension agent. Virginia Marshall led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and Ray Goode led us in the 4-H pledge. Terri Nash, secretary, read the minutes. The recreation leaders led us in a song, "The 4-H Spirit." Our president turned the meeting over to the vice president, Robin Paulette, and she told us the topic and turned the meeting over to Mrs. Walton. She showed us how to make things like a Christmas ball tree, stars out of glue, fly swatter cover, gift tags, Christmas or any time of the year angels, a decorative mousetrap, and other things. Mrs. Walton turned the meeting over to Pat Page and he ended the meeting.

Jody Williams, Reporter

AWARDED CERTIFICATE AND GOLD CUP James Beaty, a student at Appomattox Elementary be the first student from Appomattox County to receive certificate for three consecutive years of superior ratings Virginia State Music Festival.

He also received a gold cup for earning 15 points, as a winner in piano solo. He is a student of Mrs. J. F. Wa

James, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Be Appomattox, will enter the Festival this year in the on of piano solos and piano duets.

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Seminar Held Thursday At Danville Memorial Hospital

Care and treatment of the chronic obstructive respiratory patient both in the hospital and at home were the topics of a continuing health education seminar presented by the Virginia Lung Association, Central Region and the Memorial Hospital in Danville yesterday, Nov. 13. Dr. Rufus Gordon, member of the Virginia Lung Association's State Board of Directors from South Boston moderated the program at the Danville Memorial Hospital for the staff and nurses in the surrounding area.

Dr. Arnold Manheim, director of anesthesiology, described the basic anatomy and physiology of the pulmonary system (lung) as a basis for the review of pathophysiology by Dr. Richard Reed, director of Respiratory Therapy at the Moses Cone Hospital in Greensboro, N.C. Dr. Reed also mentioned the marvelous diagnostic applications of the X Y recorder-spirometer. Mrs. R. Clifford, R.N., liason nurse at the Memorial Hospital, outlined some of the aspects of discharge planning and common health services.

In the afternoon session, Clyde DeLoach, respiratory therapist at Memorial Hospital discussed the various breathing aids used to alleviate pulmonary distress. Virginia Block,staff nursing consultant to the Va. Lung Association elaborated on home care of the chronic obstructive respiratory patient and increasing their comfort and activity level. An excellent practical workshop on physical therapy techniques used in patient care followed.

The greatest appreciation is extended to Mrs. Mary Booker of the Nursing Staff and Mr. Charles DeJarnette of the Cardio-pulmonary Department of the Memorial Hospital for their able assistance in the presentation of the seminar.

Lynchburg Fine Arts Center Set Date For Photo Show

The Art Division of the Lynchburg Fine Arts Center is calling attention to the **1976 AREA PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW** to be held at the Center from January 4-18. Right now, we are urging all photographers to note the dates that entries will be received at the Center -- December 11,12,and 13. Notice needs to be given at this time so that photographers can have their entries ready in time for the December dates. The attached copy covers rules for the juried show. Further information can be obtained from the Center. We would appreciate any coverage you can give to this event at this time.

LYNCHBURG PHOTO SHOW

AN INVITATION: The Lynchburg Fine Arts Center invites all photographers within a 150 mile radius to enter the 1976 Area Photography Show at the Center from Jan. 4, 1976. Center from Ja. 4 - 18,1976.

TYPES OF WORK: Original monochrome and color photographs, or any images made with a photographic process, made since 1974. A maximum of 4 entries per artist may be submitted. All entries must be framed, ready for hanging. Braquetts mounting is unacceptable.

DELIVERY: Entries will be received at the Lynchburg Fine Arts Center between 10-5 on Dec. 11 and 12, and Dec. 13 from 9-12 noon. The entry blank and entry fee must be submitted with the work. Members of the L.F.A.C. may enter works at a fee of $1 per entry; non-members at $2 per entry.

SALES: The Lynchburg Fine Arts Center will receive a 25 % commission on all work sold during the exhibit.

JUROR: An authority in the field of photography will serve as juror. His name will be announced at a later date.

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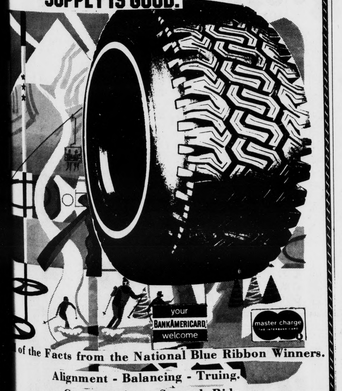

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